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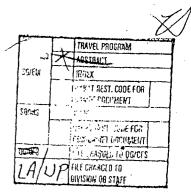
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- I. STATION HAS HELD DISCUSSIONS WITH COM REGARDING THE TRACKING DOWN OF SUBJECT. WE ARE IN AGREEMENT THAT PNVALUE WILL, FOR THE MOMENT, BE TASKED WITH PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHECKING OUT LEADS TO MENGELE. COM WANTED TO KNOW IF STATION HAS SOMEONE CAPABLE OF UNDERTAKING THIS TASK DISCREETLY AND COS HAS RESPONDED POSITIVELY (WITHOUT PROVIDING DETAILS). (PER PREVIOUS TRAFFIC) IS ALREADY CHECKING OUT LEADS. BELIEVE THAT COIS IDEALLY SUITED FOR THE TASK AND IF NEED BE (WITH ADDITIONAL FUNDS) COULD RECRUIT ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATORS TO RUN DOWN RUMORS, CALL-INS, ETC., WHICH DUE TO THE POSTED REWARDS ARE ALREADY COMING IN TO THE EMBASSY.
- 2. IN SUMMARY, STATION IN CLOSE COORDINATION WITH NVENGRAMOIS ALREADY ACTIVELY IN SEARCH OF MENGELE.
- 3. FILE: 201-0994286. DECL OADR DRV HUM 4-82. ALL SECRET.

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